

## LATEST

U.S. Commanders  
In China Confer

PEIPING (AP)—Lt. Gen. Albert C. Wedemeyer, commanding the U.S. forces in China, arrived in Peiping today from the U.S. and was scheduled to confer immediately with top-ranking U.S. marine, navy and army officers in this north China trouble spot.

He had flown directly to north China via Tokyo, rather than proceeding by way of Chungking, seat of the Chinese Central government.

## Potato Price Up

VANCOUVER (CP)—Potato prices to wholesalers here will advance tomorrow \$1.40 a ton or 7 cents a 100-pound sack, to the ceiling price, B.C. Coast Vegetable Marketing Board officials announced today.

## Workers Rehired

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP)—Heaps Engineering Co. today called back several employees laid off some months ago following cancellation of war contracts. The firm is reported to have regained a percentage of the order for manufacture of 380 Diesel engines for Russia.

## B.C. Ships Beef

VANCOUVER (CP)—Eight hundred tons of fresh British Columbia beef, the first ever shipped from this coast direct to the United Kingdom by water, will be loaded in the Blue Star refrigerator Ms. Columbia Star, now loading eggs at New Westminster, George Wales, agent, announced today.

Accidental Death  
In Sooke Fire

A. McLennan, 68, was accidentally burned to death when he attempted to light a stove with gasoline at his combination drug-store and gas station at Sooke, Dr. E. C. Hart, coroner, said today, following an inquiry into the man's death.

Fire gutted the premises about 8 Sunday morning, according to B.C. Police headquarters. The late Mr. McLennan had lived in Sooke for the past 10 years and has only one known relative, a niece in New York State.

A number of cans of oil in the premises exploded as fire gutted the building.

\$400 in Jewelry  
Taken From Store

Eighty pieces of jewelry, valued at approximately \$400, were stolen from the front window of D. G. Pennock, jeweler, 618 Yates Street, during the night, according to city police report.

Called at 5:40 this morning, police found a hole about 1½ by eight inches, broken in the front window. An earlier account placed the loss at \$302.75, but a further check-up revealed that it amounted to \$400.

Included in the loot were 16 watches, three dozen rings and crosses and chains, lockets and chains, tie slides and bracelets.

Ladysmith Tops  
Victory Loan  
Alberni Leads Whole of B.C.

Ladysmith joined Victoria and Alberni-West Coast in going over the top in the 9th Victory Loan campaign with 119.6 per cent of quota subscribed by noon today. Victoria now has 103.6 per cent, while Alberni-West Coast continues to lead the entire province with 135 per cent.

It is expected that the island will pass its quota before tonight as 98 per cent of quota was subscribed by noon. Nanaimo is also expected to pass its objective before the week's end with 92.4 per cent subscribed already.

In the contest going on in the Greater Victoria area for the beautiful pen donated by J. W. Spencer, chairman of the Vancouver Island National War Finance Committee, Saanich is still well in the lead with 109 per cent of quota subscribed, followed by Victoria with 103 per cent. Esquimalt is next with 99.4 per cent and Oak Bay trails with 93.4 per cent.

Spearheading the payroll can

## Promises Payment

Dutch Disclose  
Plan for Indies  
To Little Effect

BATAVIA (AP)—The government of the Netherlands East Indies, trying to restore order in this land wracked by a struggle for independence, made public today a plan for "rapid development of Indonesia as a partner in a kingdom which will be constructed to guarantee the self respect of all member-peoples."

H. J. Van Mook, Acting Governor-General of the Indies, who released the program, disclosed it had been presented more than a week ago to Indonesian Nationalist leaders as basis for settlement of their demands.

His statement was issued in an atmosphere of growing tension, emphasized by a new outbreak of street fighting in Batavia between Indonesian extremists and Dutch troops.

Dr. I. R. Soekarno, above, says his "Indonesian Republic," if recognized, will assume all debts of the Dutch East Indies.

MacArthur Smashes  
4 Great Tycoon  
Tie-ups in Japan

TOKYO (AP)—Gen. MacArthur today smashed Japan's four greatest financial and industrial families and gave notice of his intention to break up all such combines to aid Japanese economic development along peaceful, democratic lines.

The Japanese government was ordered immediately to prepare to dissolve Mitsui, Mitsubishi, Sumitomo and Yasuda Zaibatsu and their holding companies and to eliminate their controls of Japanese finances and industries.

Breaking up of the fabulous houses of industry was expected to create an international financial headache in the question of how to dispose of thousands of shares of stock held by foreign firms.

Allied headquarters issued a survey revealing widespread ramifications in the prewar tie-up between Japan's "Big Four" industrial empires and firms throughout the world.

Canadian Mercy  
Plane Crashes; 4 Die

LONDON (CP)—An R.C.A.F. Flying Fortress carrying penicillin from Canada to Warsaw crashed today near Muenster, Germany, it was learned at R.C.A.F. headquarters. It was reported unofficially that four crew members were killed.

The penicillin was being flown via Prestwick, Scotland, to a Polish hospital at the urgent request of the Polish government, which is seeking to combat the spread of venereal disease, more than 1,000,000 cases of which have been reported in Poland.

Former Leaders  
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HELSINKI (AP)—Former Finnish President Risto Ryti and seven other wartime leaders were arrested today and charged with responsibility for Finland's 1941-1944 war with Russia at the side of Germany.

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## Tenants Escape Early Morning Blaze in Night Attire



Fire-wrecked "Brae Mar" apartments, 1012 Oliphant Street, from which tenants were driven out at 3:50 this morning, two being injured in leaps from onrushing flames.

Government Officials, Union Leaders  
Meet for Hour's Talk At Windsor

WINDSOR, Ont. (CP)—Government and compulsory checkoff of union dues.

Leaders of 27 A.F.L. unions and 10 Canadian Congress of Labor unions announced this morning their locals will not take any strike action unless police are called in the Ford dispute. They are non-automotive unions and previously voted support of the Ford strikers. They represent some 15,000 workers.

As Mr. Mitchell's conference opened today about 1,000 pickets, both men and women paraded in a circular line beyond the vehicle barricade opposite the main entrance to the Ford plant.

The small overnight picket began growing at 6 a.m. and was soon joined by groups from both locals 200 and 195. One of the groups was led by a bagpiper—he wasn't wearing kilts—and a cheer went up as his group joined the line.

One member of the union policy committee commented after today's first meeting that "the big issue—removal of the police—didn't come up." Squads of Royal Canadian Mounted and Ontario Provincial Police to the number of about 250 men were flown to Windsor last Friday.

Top question on the conference agenda was to find a solution for the strike involving 10,000 production workers of the Ford Motor Company of Canada which began Sept. 12 when U.A.W. Local 200 called out its 8,000 members in a dispute over a new collective bargaining contract.

The government officials later were to meet again with Mr. Burt and the presidents of the two Windsor locals involved. A meeting with company officials was also scheduled.

Today's meeting with the union was called by Mr. Mitchell, who flew here from Ottawa Monday night and conferred with company officials shortly after his arrival.

COUNCIL THREATENS

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For Youth of 20

CALGARY, (CP)—Twenty-year-old Lawrence Ross Barrs of Bowness was sentenced to be hanged March 20 when he was found guilty Monday afternoon of the Valentine Day murder of Frank Bishop Thomas, Bowness.

The youth, when he was ordered to stand up in the prisoner's box in which he had sat for 13 days, uttered no sound and there was no change in the impulsive expression he had shown since the murder charge was first read to him.

There will be an appeal, said

defence counsel C. E. Smith, who, with his brother, A. L. Smith, M.P., defended Barrs.

## Drink Bill Higher

OTTAWA, (CP)—Canadians drank more spirits, beer and wine in the year ended March, 31, 1945, than in the previous fiscal year, figures tabled Monday in the Commons show.

Provided for A. M. Nicholson, C.C.F., MacKenzie, Sask., the gallonge figures show:

Year ending March 31, 1944, spirits, 3,443,716; beer, 90,709,847; wine, 3,595,946.

Year ending March 31, 1945, spirits, 3,719,918; beer, 110,223,815; wine, 3,712,456.

B.C. First Province In Canada  
To Pass 9th Victory Loan Quota

OTTAWA (CP)—National total in Canada's 9th Victory Loan for a minimum of \$1,500,000,000 hit \$1,199,296,000 today as the British Columbia-Yukon unit became the first in the Dominion to go over the top on sales to individuals in the three-week drive which will end next Saturday.

The B.C.-Yukon committee reported sales to individuals, including the armed forces, had reached \$74,021,250 against an original target of \$72,000,000 for 104 per cent.

War Finance Committee headquarters reported Monday's sales across Canada totalled \$95,285,850 compared with \$50,138,700 on the corresponding day of the 8th loan drive last spring. The \$1,199,296,000 cumulative total compared with \$961,156,050 at the corresponding stage of the last loan.

With their province covered with snow, Alberta canvassers kept sales well ahead of those of the 8th loan. To date Albertans have purchased \$31,233,600 of the \$40,000,000 general canvass

objective for 77.5 per cent, and six more Alberta units are over the top.

One of the Alberta units, Foremost, has ignored its poor crops to zip past its quota and set a new one of \$220,000. Average Foremost citizen's purchase so far was \$450.

Blairemore in the Crows Nest Pass reached its objective of \$125,000 early in the campaign; its second of \$175,000 a few days later and now is shooting at \$200,000. Its percentage of quota—145 per cent—is the highest in the province and its sales \$100,000 ahead of those in the last loan.

Aubrey Bickford personally put Red Deer over the top. Stuck in a snowdrift four miles from town with 19 applications in his pocket, he finally abandoned his car and hiked into unit headquarters 15 minutes before closing time Monday.

Throughout Ontario 496 plants fly honor flags for exceeding their payroll savings objectives, 85 of them in the Toronto industrial section.

Total subscriptions for the

provinces up to Monday night amounted to \$59,522,950. Monday's total was \$44,546,700. Ontario's objective is \$679,350,000.

Urge Alberta Amend  
Its Garnishee Act

EDMONTON (CP)—The Edmonton Trades and Labor Council Monday night unanimously endorsed a resolution calling for an amendment to the garnishee act. The amendment would prohibit issuance of a garnishee till the merits of a creditor's claim had been adjudicated upon by the courts.

The resolution will be sent to the Alberta Federation of Labor for submission to the Alberta government. It will be included in a series of resolutions to come up at the federation's annual meeting at Calgary Nov. 19.

Another resolution passed by the Trades Council for submission to the federation calls for establishment of a committee to work out a labor code for Alberta which would establish the right of each worker to a job, and draft a program for the immediate attainment of full and well-paid employment.

The same question was asked in July, 1943, so that it is possible to see just how opinion has swung in the past two years:

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## Witnesses At Yamashita Trial Tell of Massacre of 6,000

MANILA (AP) — A Spanish priest and a Filipino laborer, testifying at the war criminal trial of Lt.-Gen. Tomoyuki Yamashita, recounted today the starvation, torture and massacre of 6,000 Filipino and Chinese civilians by Japanese troops before the fall of Manila last spring.

Rev. Belarmino Decelis of the Spanish Augustinian Order, said the Japanese jammed the 6,000 civilians into the ancient Church of St. Augustine, oldest building in Manila, last Feb. 5.

The men were thrown into the old dungeons which served the Spanish 100 years ago. Women and children, Father Decelis said, were kept without food in the church compound until they were so hungry they ate the grass and roots of the patio gardens.

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Earlier, an 11-year-old girl,

Rosalinda Andoy, showed the military commission conducting the trial the scars of 38 bayonet wounds. She sobbed as she told of her mistreatment and the death of her family at the hands of the Japanese.

Her father was taken away to be murdered and her mother and her aunts were bayoneted before her eyes. Even while her mother told her to "be a good girl, dearest," a Japanese used the woman for a live bayonet target, the frail girl testified.

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### Location of Pitchblende Deposits Kept Secret

OTTAWA (CP) — Munitions Minister Howe said Monday afternoon in the Commons the government had agreed not to make public the location of pitchblende deposits in Canada.

He was answering Stanley Knowles, C.C.F., Winnipeg North Centre, who also asked for the names of the owners of the properties, surveys made and where reports of the surveys are available.

### Island Highway Death Brings \$17,000 Damages

VANCOUVER (CP) — Damages totaling \$17,000 were awarded Mrs. Bessie May Snell, 33, in the Exchequer Court of Canada here Monday against the Crown for the death of her husband, Bertram Snell, 36, a truck driver, who was killed Sept. 29, 1943, in a collision with an army truck on the Island Highway north of Nanaimo. Mrs. Snell was allowed \$13,500 and her nine-year-old son \$3,500.

### Mistake Post Office For Garbage Dump

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C. (CP) — Postal workers here today hoped certain New Westminster residents would soon get over the idea of using the post office as a garbage disposal centre.

It seems that several neatly wrapped brown paper parcels were found on the tables in the lobby and subsequently turned into the lost and found department.

A few days later odors started an investigation which revealed the parcels contained potato peelings, old tin cans and other garbage refuse.

VANCOUVER (CP) — By-law amendments which would bar unescorted women from Vancouver dance halls were recommended to the City Council Monday by representatives of the



## The INTERNATIONAL SCENE

By DEWITT MACKENZIE  
Associated Press Foreign Affairs Analyst

Fate is making China run the gauntlet.

Thus far efforts at reconciliation between the Chinese Communists and the national government have failed to disclose any avenue of escape from the horror of a civil war which in fact is already underway although there has been no formal declaration of hostilities. Hard fighting has developed along the vital rail communications of north China.

"Bitterness" has been added to the situation through the charge by the Chinese Reds that United States fighting forces have been in action against them. The Communists, New China Daily News has blazoned the claim that U.S. Lt.-Gen. Wedemeyer's promise that his men would avoid participation in Chinese internal strife was "nothing but a lie."

Both Washington and Chungking have denied these allegations.

It looks as though the Chinese Communists are figuring on the conquest of northern China—where they are in greatest strength—and Manchuria.

Indications are that Red strategy contemplates the seizure of Manchuria, with its well developed war industries and other resources, for a powerful base from which to strike at the national forces. The Communists already hold large industrial and agricultural areas in the northern Chinese provinces of Shansi, Shensi, Shantung, Anhwei, Kiangsu and Hopei.

Manchuria is the key to the immediate future, because of its vast resources. That country possesses one of the richest soils in the world and it is heavily cultivated. It has great mineral wealth—coal, iron, gold and manganese—and petroleum and lumber are important products.

President Chiang Kai-shek had planned to land troops from the sea at Dairen and Port Arthur, the great Manchurian harbors, but according to information in Chungking his government has not been able to overcome Soviet objections to the use of these ports.

However, Chungking has taken encouragement from the report that Russian troops would begin to withdraw Nov. 10 from southwestern Manchuria along the Peiping-Mukden railway. It looks from here as though this might be of even greater benefit to the Chinese Reds. In any event, the Russian withdrawal will open up a strategic position.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Here are the 12 terms of the original Italian surrender signed 26 months and three days ago today:

1. Immediate cessation of all hostile activity by the Italian armed forces.

2. Italy will use its best endeavor to deny to the Germans, facilities which might be used against the United Nations.

3. All prisoners or internees of the United Nations to be immediately turned over to the Allied commander-in-chief and none of these may now or at any time be evacuated to Germany.

4. The commander-in-chief of the Allied forces reserves to himself the right to take any measure which in his opinion may be necessary for the protection of the interests of the Allied forces for the prosecution of the war, and the Italian government binds itself to take such administrative or other action as the commander-in-chief may require, and in particular the commander-in-chief will establish Allied military government over such parts of Italian territory as he may deem necessary in the military interests of the Allied nations.

5. Italian merchant shipping may be requisitioned by the Allied commander-in-chief to meet the needs of his military-naval program.

6. Immediate surrender of Corfu and of all Italian territory, both islands and mainland, to the Allies for such use as operational bases and other purposes as the Allies may see fit.

7. Immediate guarantee of the free use by the Allies of all airfields and naval ports in Italian territory, regardless of the rate of evacuation of the Italian territory by the German forces. These ports and fields to be pro-

vided by the Italian government.

8. Immediate withdrawal to Italy of Italian armed forces from all participation in the current war from whatever areas in which they may now be engaged.

9. Guarantee by the Italian government that if necessary it will employ all its available

armed forces to insure prompt and exact compliance with all the provisions of this armistice.

WIDE MEASURES

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11. The commander-in-chief of the Allied forces will have a full right to impose measures of disarmament, demobilization and demilitarization.

12. Other conditions of a political, economic and financial nature with which Italy will be bound to comply will be transmitted at later date.

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RUSSIA'S ANNIVERSARY

**I**N THE HISTORY OF THE LAST 28 years, it becomes relatively simple to read the success of the "experiment" which formally dates its origin from the Petrograd Revolution of Nov. 7, 1917. Through trials and obstructions, which only served to temper the steel of her determination, the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics has taken her place among the leaders of the world. Never before has Russia attained such stature. And never before did she enjoy the popularity she gained in her final triumphant years as the mighty force which threw the legions of Nazidom back from the east.

But with all her power, Russia remains an enigma. At a time when understanding could be instrumental in welding the United Nations into a continually cohesive force for the good of humanity, the U.S.S.R. appears to view the world scene as an international poker game and plays her cards close to her chest. In all fairness, it must be admitted Russia has had little encouragement, until recently, to lay her hand on the table. In the formative years of infancy, the U.S.S.R. doubtless had reason to look on the outside world with distrust. Nor have conditions been such since her maturity that she could establish friendship with other nations on a basis of absolute trust.

It requires no stretch of memory to recall the traditional picture of the Russian given to a hostile world at a time when the Soviets could have benefited most from outside assistance. He was a long-haired, unkempt figure, sly in face and brutal in form, who carried a bomb in his hand to throw at Capitalism wherever he found it. The "cordon sanitaire" policy was no figment of the imagination, and international diplomacy was seldom at a high level in its dealings with the Bolshevik. Those are records which later eulogy of a magnificent war record, praise for tremendous technological development, and general friendliness for an ally cannot entirely expunge.

But the fact remains that Russia, in her present position, cannot return into isolationism because a previous age was unfriendly. By population and area it is impossible for her to divorce herself from the shrinking world of which she represents so much. And if that world is to enjoy the benefits of peace and general development, she cannot continue her secret role hidden behind walls of censorship which still make difficult a true valuation. And if she permits old suspicions to color her approach to all outsiders, she is bound to create new suspicions elsewhere and lend fuel to the fire of discord which malevolent forces seek to build. Russia still has enemies whose self-interest benefits in direct ratio to the decline of Soviet popularity. But their number are immeasurably reduced from those which sought her destruction after Nov. 7, 1917.

**STEPPING DOWN**

**I**N SPITE OF THE EFFORTS OF PUBLIC and private business to hold the jobs and protect the seniority of staff members who left positions to serve in the forces, it is inevitable that some disappointment will attend the readjustment of service personnel returning to peacetime living. Many of the young men went from junior positions in civilian employment to prove their competency in the army, the navy or the air force and to claim incomes commensurate with the responsibilities they assumed. Apart from establishing their native ability, however, such young men have, with few exceptions, had little opportunity to equip themselves for correspondingly important work outside the services. In such cases, there has been an inevitable deflation when they returned to pick up the threads where they left them to go to war. As Gen. Crerar has said, those returning, in the main, are better men than when they left. But they still lack specialized experience in the trades and businesses to which they are coming back. It is not too much to hope that their greater maturity will put them in a position to overcome that handicap in a minimum of time. Nevertheless, the period required to bring them up to the point they would have reached had their careers been uninterrupted will call for patience on their part.

In some cases, men enlisted from the ranks of those who had no fixed occupation. Others came straight from school. They have no specific job to which to return. And while a number have decided which field of activity they wish to enter, they are subject to natural hurdles in gaining admission. For many, the acceptance of available work means a very material drop in income, even with the help they may receive through government assistance. But the point should be kept in mind that while a returned man may be offered a job at a wage far below that to which he was accustomed in the forces, that certainly should not be considered his life-time rate of remuneration. Nor need he accept the smaller pay if he can, by his own initiative, put himself into a position to gain more.

There is, of course, an obligation on the country, through public and private busi-

ness, to see that employment opportunities are available for the men who answered the call to arms. With Canada crying for development, there should be no difficulty in providing jobs. They may not meet in all particulars the tailored plans of those returning. But certainly no ex-serviceman should be denied the right of gainful occupation. If work is made available, however, the rest is up to the individual, and unless Canadians foresake their natural self-reliance, the solution to readjustment problems poses no insuperable obstacle.

**EXCEEDED EXPECTATIONS**

**C**ITIZENS OF THIS COMMUNITY ARE entitled to more than an ordinary pat on the back for the magnificent manner in which they have responded to the appeal of Canada's 9th Victory Loan issue. Suffice it to say that at this stage of the campaign last spring the aggregate subscription for Greater Victoria stood at something like five and a half million dollars; the current drive has netted more than three million dollars in excess of that amount. And the quota of \$8,400,000 was passed by \$100,000 on the first day of this final week.

What is true of the response on the part of Canadians in this section of the country is true of practically every other substantial community all across the Dominion. This simply means that the vast majority of our people thoroughly believe in Canada—her future potentialities, her method of government, and her increasing stature among the nations of the world. The response to this latest loan, moreover, is especially noteworthy for the increase in purchases on the payroll system—in comparison, even, with the excellent showing of the 8th Victory Loan. Hitherto bond salesmen did not find it easy sailing in this regard; but this time the issue more or less sold itself. To understand the significance of the underlying moral of this factor requires no stretch of the imagination. It is a happy augury for the days ahead.

**LABOR-MANAGEMENT PROBLEMS**

**M**ANAGEMENT AND LABOR MUST compose their difficulties between themselves because controversies "cannot be allowed to stop us" in the struggle to reconvert to peacetime production. With that exhortation as the keynote of his remarks, President Truman yesterday opened the labor-management conference in Washington, reminding the conferees, too, that the people of the United States do not like industrial strife retarding their prosperity—"especially after the solemn promise" of both groups to "co-operate with their government."

With but slight variation, largely of degree and method, the words of the President of the United States could be re-echoed by the leader of every nation which is plagued with strikes and threats to strike. Mr. Truman quite properly informed the conference he did not propose to attempt to "fix the blame" for the current conditions in his own country. He would not have overstated the facts if he had said blame attached to both employer and employee. Nor would he have erred in warning the participants at the conference that the great majority of the working force of all countries, the unorganized toilers without "lobbies" or "special pleaders" to argue their claims for consideration, are getting sick and tired of the intermittent spectacle of the irresistible force and the immovable object.

Surely there is sufficient intelligence among organized management and organized labor everywhere to find a formula for mutual agreement on the basic issues which seem to divide them. Conditions in several parts of Canada are literally shouting for a new form of approach—a demand from the public that Capital and Labor put their cards on the table face upmost. Once the real difficulties are clearly exposed, and dealt with in a spirit of good will and give and take, most of them could be resolved satisfactorily.

**MINISTERIAL CRITICISM**

**W**HILE THE PUBLIC WOULD EXPECT labor and management opinion to be sharply divided on the United Automobile Workers' strike at the Ford Motor Company's Windsor plant, the condemnation of the company voiced by Reconstruction Minister C. D. Howe in the House of Commons last night projects a new element into the controversy.

Despite the general improvement in labor-management relations arising from co-operation on war production, there still remain sharp differences of opinion in the respective camps. Each claims its own adherents among the public. But when the minister of the crown most closely associated with production feels impelled to voice unequivocal criticism of the firm, Canadians will naturally want to know more than they have yet learned about the dispute. Mr. Howe left no grounds for doubt over his analysis of the situation when he said:

"A great company such as the Ford Company, one with a continental and world-wide reputation, a company which is a great factor in the industrial life of Canada, is I think to be severely condemned for not having created better union-management relations in their plant."

Though the minister noted that local union management might have contributed to the friction apparent in this major Canadian industry, his stricture nevertheless lies heavily on the company. Such statements from a man of senior cabinet rank are welcome for their candor and the manner in which they clarify the situation.

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**Tariff On Diesels**

By GRANT DEXTER

OTTAWA.

**I**N THE CONTROVERSY which has arisen over the tariff increases in the budget, references have been made to an increase in the duty on Diesel engines. In point of fact, the two are separate and distinct. The budget tariff increases were adopted by the cabinet and brought into the House of Commons as amendments to the Customs Tariff Act in the normal way by Hon. J. L. Ilsley, Minister of Finance.

The increase in the tariff on Diesel engines, however, was brought about by administrative act of the National Revenue Department, taken on Aug. 30, last.

As will be shown, the reasons for the administrative act are different from those which prompted the budget changes. Taken in combination, however, the two kinds of tariff increase raise the issue of protection in the broadest, most sweeping form and proclaim that the war period is passed and that the manufacturers of this country, regardless of overall trade policy and the commitments of the government with respect thereto, have resumed the struggle to keep imports out and to possess to the fullest attainable extent the home market.

**T**HE RESUMPTION of the drive for protection, after six years of war during which scarcely a word has been said in Parliament on the tariff question, has been as swift as it has been surprising. The budget and the Diesel engine case, taken together, demonstrate that the drive for high tariff is now under way over the whole front of the national economy. Higher tariffs are being sought and obtained from the government itself by way of amendments to the Customs Tariff Act. They are being sought and obtained from the officials who administer the statute by means of administrative rulings.

The jurisdiction for higher tariffs in every case is the giving of work in factories. War industry appears to be determined to maintain the place which it achieved in the war years when imports virtually ceased.

The prevailing mood, undoubtedly, is to "cash in" on the war before the channels of trade are reopened and imports from other countries become available.

**O**N THE ONE HAND, Canadian war industries are affirming their new strength and virility, their eagerness to serve the home market and their ability to provide plenty of jobs. On the other they concede their inability to compete with other countries by the very fact that they are demanding protection. "Look how lusty I am," they say, and, with the same breath, "but of course you must not expect me to stand up to those other fellows."

The budget reveals the extent of the drive for protection by the usual procedure of amendment to the Customs Tariff Act. The Diesel engine case illustrates the other approach.

To understand this Diesel case, a reference to the Customs Tariff Act is essential. Three tariff items apply to Diesels.

**I**TEM 440G PROVIDES that manufacturers of iron, brass, or other metal of a class or kind not made in Canada, when used for ships or vessels, shall be admitted duty free from all countries. The chief market for Diesels in Canada has been and continues to be the fishing industry. The engines are used on the fishing boats and are essential to efficient operation. Item 428C provides that Diesel engines, not otherwise provided for, shall be dutiable: preference, free; United States trade agreement, 20 per cent; intermediate tariff, 25 per cent; general tariff, 30 per cent.

Item 440K provides that engines and parts thereof to be used in the propulsion of boats shall be dutiable: preference, free; intermediate (the rate applicable to the U.S.), 12½ per cent; general, 15 per cent.

The rule in the National Revenue Department for many years has been that articles should be deemed for tariff purposes to be made in Canada when 10 per cent of the domestic market is produced at home.

**P**RIOR TO THE WAR, Diesel engines were ruled to be not made in Canada and therefore could be imported duty free from any country. Sources of imports were the United Kingdom; the United States, Norway and Sweden and some other continental countries.

The Canadian Diesel industry made strenuous but unsuccessful efforts to have this ruling reversed. In 1938, indeed, an appeal from the ruling was carried by the industry to the Tariff Board under part 11 of the Tariff Board Act. This part of the act set up the board as an appeal tribunal in tariff administration. The Tariff Board, after full inquiry, rejected the appeal.

**FOR UNDERSTANDING**

From the Halifax Herald

A Russian institute has been established in connection with Columbia University. It will be followed with other institutes devoted to the study of the British Commonwealth, Latin America, France and Germany.

The purpose of these institutes, as outlined by Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, is to train a corps of United States teachers and administrators with special knowledge and understanding of the social, political and economic problems of peoples who are destined to play an important role in shaping the future course of world events.

The scheme, which originated with Dr. Butler, long noted as a worker for international goodwill, has promise of definite usefulness and might profitably be adopted by universities in Canada and elsewhere throughout the world.

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**Letters To The Editor**

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The Robert A. Love against whom court proceedings were recently taken in the city police court, is in no way connected with me.

R. LOVE,  
Major, R.C.A.  
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**WILL REMEMBER CANADA**

I now find time and great pleasure in being able to thank a grand people for the way in which you have all received my comrades and myself into your country. The way in which you received us as the boat pulled into the dockside was something that makes one feel very proud in having a nation in our Empire like Canada.

I am sure that when I get back to my own country I shall be able to tell all my people that my short stay in Canada was something that will remain in my memory for the rest of my life.

I shall also say that if there are any of my countrymen that would like to know anything about Canada and its people, I shall be able to tell them that they could not go to a finer country, with good prospects in everything and a grand people. Once again thanking you.

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**OPERATIONS NOW ENDED**

The operations of the Welcome Club Caravan, which has been stationed on the Causeway to give guidance to returning veterans for the last 18 months, have now ceased.

The group of ladies, convened by Mrs. A. D. M. Curry, have done an outstanding service in directing our own men in uniform, and members of the Allied forces to those most able to meet the requirements in each particular case. With the approach of winter weather, and satisfactory arrangements having been made for the disposal of the caravan, the directors of the Salvage Corps decided to discontinue the work having regard to the fact that there is a well-organized office open during business hours, fully equipped to carry on the work.

Copies of the magazine "Welcome" and helpful literature on hand have been transferred to the Citizens' Rehabilitation Council on the fourth floor of the post office building, being conducted by Col. Jeffery. The organization is carrying out the work with great zeal, and will prove of inestimable benefit to those seeking general information of a nature not directly concerned with the Dominion government, Department of Veterans' Affairs in the Belmont House.

I would like to point out to veterans engaged or about to be engaged in agriculture the following facts: The provincial government, Department of Agriculture, at the Parliament Buildings here, and the Dominion government, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, have numerous booklets dealing with every phase of fruit-growing, vegetable-growing, bullock-raising, control of insects and

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A. H. PEASE.

**LONG PULL**

It seems to be a well-established fact in nature that man's spell of life is only 100 years at most, then members of each generation must pass off the scene and take nothing with them, except the indestructible mind which has developed within them. But it is on this process of human life that the world depends for the continuance of its inhabited condition and progress. It is not so very important to the creation mind whether man exterminates himself or not, time goes on and there are millions of years ahead for a new order of humanity to develop where we leave off. Man is not necessary to God to carry on creation and recreation of life.

But from the prehistoric age when man had neither speech nor language and was classed among the animals, it has been a long pull-up to the present state of civilization, with all its imperfections in knowledge or experience. Our governments and political leaders so often take a short and narrow view of things and concentrate their minds on expediency and the success of their own particular creeds or affiliations or policies, in forming platforms. Tricks and schemes to prevent the real wishes of the people from being known may indicate smart political strategy, but they are not honest efforts to be democratic. There is too much of this in all parties and also in religions.

Sometimes by lack of vision and sometimes by deliberate design men will work against nature and plan for things, which must ultimately have unfortunate results to later generations.

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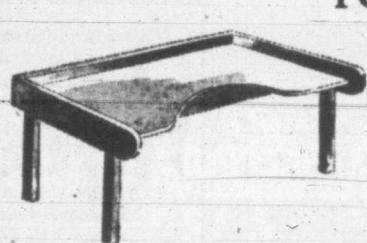
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**Miss Laura Holland  
 Retires From Office**

Announcement has been made from the Provincial Secretary's office at the Parliament Buildings that Miss Laura Holland has retired as the government adviser on social welfare policy.

Joining the government service in 1931, first as deputy superintendent of neglected children, and later as superintendent, Miss Holland rose to the rank of supervisor of welfare field service and chief inspector of welfare institutions.

Miss Holland was an army nurse overseas in the 1914-18 war. A graduate of Montreal General Hospital, she has been director of nursing service for the Ontario Red Cross, with the Toronto Health Department and manager of the Children's Aid Society in Vancouver from 1927 until 1931. She plans to return to Vancouver to make her home.

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**Inflation Danger Still Acute**

"Because surveys show that half the people of Canada do not realize it, the greatest period of danger in the anti-inflation period lies ahead," said Byrne Hope Sanders, head of Consumer Branch, W.P.T.B., Ottawa, addressing the Women's Canadian Club Monday afternoon at the Empress Hotel.

She pointed out that history repeats itself. After the Napoleonic war and the civil war, the worst periods of inflation occurred. From Armistice Day until July, 1920, after the First World War, the prices of food doubled, the cost of clothing trebled, where only 10 per cent of the national income had been turned into war.

"In this war where 40 to 50 per cent has been geared to war," she warned, "the possibilities for sprawling inflation and then crashing deflation is infinitely greater."

Some of the reasons she gave for the inflationary danger were a continued shortage in many lines because Canada must rely on other countries for many necessities, the time it takes to convert from war to peace, the impact of the buying needs of thousands of men and women of the armed services, the tremendous pent-up consumer demand, plus a tremendous backlog of spending power in victory bonds and wartime savings, coupled with the human instinct to go on a spending spree.

**WOMEN CAN HELP**  
 "Here is a challenge to Canadian women," she said, "to be the great stabilizing force in the transition period between war and peace."

"Stand firm in a world of shifting opinions and wild rumors," she urged. "Determine to finish the job. Co-operate with the war measures maintained for your protection until told they are no longer necessary. Get the facts and hold wild rumors. Conserve. Buy only what is needed. Co-operate in every practical way that is necessary."

"Canadian women," she continued, "are in the best position of any women in the world to be come vital factors in building the peace in their country. They have had experience in being essential partners in the great national economic program. They have learned to harness their vast and sprawling organizations into compact units for active participation in making policy. Their leaders have been getting practical training in economics. They have learned how to get the facts on which to base their recommendations, how to present their opinions most effectively. Most important of all, they have learned to follow up their recommendations and to press for action—or for a satisfactory answer as to why action cannot be taken."

**STRENGTH IN YOUTH**  
 She reminded her audience of the leadership developed among Canada's younger women during the war and suggested this tremendous strength must not be allowed to slip back into peace-time disinterest. Older women must relinquish some of their responsibilities to these young leaders; she said, in full knowledge they will work differently but in full confidence they will bring new strength and vision to the work.

"Look what we accomplished during the war," she concluded. "Surely we can concentrate as hard, work as hard, unite as hard for peace."

Mrs. A. J. Campbell, president of the Canadian Women's Club, was the chairman. Mrs. Paul Smith, chairman of the Women's Regional Advisory Council, introduced Miss Sanders. Miss Louise Leask, accompanied by Mrs. W. B. Millburn, gave vocal solos.

On the platform were the two students who received Women's Canadian Club bursaries this year, Miss Marjorie Mather and Mr. Wallace Chung, honor students with over 90 per cent in matriculation examinations, now in their first year at college. Miss Mather is studying to become a teacher and Mr. Chung is taking a medical course.

Mrs. H. H. Henderson and Mrs. J. P. Dempsey were joint hosts at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Mrs. L. Grieves, the former Marion McFarland, held at the home of Mrs. Henderson, 630 Oliver Street. The guests were Mesdames O. Willner, D. Hutchings, P. Wrigley, L. Giles, Wm. Buxton Sr., Wm. Buxton Jr., W. Stanley, J. Hopkins, W. A. Dempsey, W. Holt, C. Olsen, C. J. Wilson, J. Mackie, S. P. Grant, F. Silver, Wm. Hogg, L. Wells, W. Wardroper, P. Sims, R. Sims, W. Johnston, C. A. Argall, E. Fullerton, I. J. Herbert, D. Herbert, E. Purdy, M. Smiley, R. Bradley, S. McKellar, Greening, Misses G. Wrigley, M. Buxton, B. Buxton, H. and P. Dempsey, E. Olsen, G. Wakefield and J. Randall.

Final arrangements were made for the Farmerettes' Box Social to be held this evening in the lower ballroom of the Crystal Garden. A report was given on the Polka Dot party on the evenings of Nov. 26 and 27 at the Sirocco, which will feature musical shows, bingo and dancing.

Miss Kathy Malloy reported on the progress of the pantomime, "Jack and the Beanstalks" to be held Dec. 14 and 15 at the Royal Victoria Theatre.



BYRNE HOPE SANDERS AND HER PARENTS, MR. AND MRS. HARRY SANDERS

and Mrs. Harry Sanders and her sister and brother-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Carney with their family live here. Mr. and Mrs. Sanders, formerly of Toronto, came to Victoria to make their home just 18 months ago. Dr.

Carney is with the Provincial Board of Health. The picture above was taken at a luncheon given by the local Women's Regional Advisory Committee in honor of Miss Sanders at the Empress Hotel Monday.

**Personal Notes**

Mrs. W. C. Woodward and Miss Ruth McLean were among the guests when Mrs. R. S. Palmer entertained at luncheon Monday at her York Place home.

Wednesday evening Lieutenant-Governor Woodward will attend a dinner at the Empress Hotel of the Chinese Freemasons, and on Friday evening will dine with the No. 6 Victoria company of the Fourandex at Victoria Golf Club.

Mrs. P. Winsby and small son, Peter, of Victoria are visiting Ganges Harbor for a month, where they are guests at Harbor House.

Among the out-of-town guests at the Law-Corner wedding were Mrs. F. R. Law of Calgary, mother of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bestwick of Powell River; Mr. R. W. Corner, Winnipeg, grandfather of the bride; Mrs. F. E. Dines of Vancouver, aunt of the bride.

On the occasion of her recent marriage a presentation of a pair of Kenwood blankets and linen was made to Mrs. John E. Jones, the former Miss Eugenie Doherty, by Mr. A. C. Campbell on behalf of the staff of the Provincial Probate and Succession Duties office.

In honor of Miss Doris Phelps, Mrs. A. Kelbes and the Misses Denise and Dulcie Crofton were joint hosts at a miscellaneous shower given at Ganges Harbor. Mrs. P. Winsby presented the gifts to the bride-elect and others present were Mesdames F. Crofton, A. J. Eaton, L. Hayes, F. Morris B. Peterson, G. Shove, Misses M. Bellamy, B. Kingsbury, D. McDermott and M. MacDonough.

Out-of-town guests at the Craig-Lafek wedding in Nanaimo included Mr. and Mrs. R. Craig Sr., Mr. and Mrs. John Craig, Mr. Gordon Craig, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Lafek, Mr. Richard Lafek, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Taylor all of Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. Chas Lafek Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lafek Sr., Mr. Neil Lafek, Mr. and Mrs. George Walton, Misses Marjorie Peart, Mary Shepherd, Viola Sands and Messrs. Johnny Foxgood, Don Hackwood, all of Victoria.

Honoring Mrs. John E. Jones, the former Miss Eugenie Doherty, the girls of the Provincial Probate and Succession Duties office held a miscellaneous shower and tea in Spencer's tea room. Those present were Mrs. Charles Christie, Mrs. John Stuck, Mrs. Alexander Bruce, Mrs. Don Thompson, and the Misses Mary Smith, Elaine Harte, Laura Bapty, Joyce Bull, Grace Morison, Mabel Richards, Theresa Perkins, Pat Tupman and Kay Dixon.

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NS. Kay Day, nee Collings, of Prince Edward Island and Victoria, B.C. (right), and SO. Betty Dowler of Edmonton were among the few Canadian women to fly over Germany on V-E Day. They served in the Canadian bomber group overseas and through special permission of the air officer commanding were allowed to make the flights. NS. Day was married in England to Maj. J. R. Day of the Canadian Dental Corps, whose parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. R. Day, live at 2755 Cadboro Bay Road. These girls were among a group of nursing sisters who returned to Canada on the Queen Elizabeth. Major and Mrs. Day arrived in Victoria this afternoon and will spend some time here.

**Doreen Tupman Weds AB. Leslie Osland**

Rev. A. E. Whitehouse performed the marriage service Saturday evening in Metropolitan United Church which united Doreen Lenore, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Tupman, 2647 Mt. Stephen Avenue, and AB. Leslie M. Osland, H.M.C.S. Prince Robert, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Osland, Winnipeg. Francis Stevenson played the wedding music and Miss Thelma Gaetz sang "I'll Walk Beside You" during the signing of the register.

The bride was escorted down the aisle by her father and wore a gown fashioned with a white satin bodice and a full double net skirt, finished with sweetheart neckline and lily point sleeves.

She wore her mother's veil of silk net with coronet of orange blossoms and carried a bouquet of pink roses, white chrysanthemums and violets. A single strand of pearls completed her ensemble.

Miss Barbara Tupman, maid of honor, and Miss Mary Wilkinson, bridesmaid, wore similar frocks of white sheer with lace yokes. They carried colonial bouquets and wore matching wreaths in their hair. Sgt. Gordon Macdonald supported the groom, and ushering were Sgt. Ernest Dalglish and AB. H. Mann, R.C.N.V.R., cousins of the groom.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Tupman, 2828 Heath Drive. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Osland and family of Shawnigan Lake, were among the guests.

AB. and Mrs. Osland will reside in Winnipeg following a honeymoon in Vancouver, for

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Native Daughters of British Columbia, Post No. 3, Thursday at 8 in Women's Business and Professional clubrooms, 301 View Street.

Britannia Lodge No. 216, L.O.B.A., Tuesday, 7:30. Grand Mistress Sister Paterson will pay her official visit. Members of the Purple Star Lodge will be guests.

Navy League, I.O.D.E., Thursday, 7:30, headquarters.

St. Martin's W.A., tonight, parish hall, to make final arrangements for Wednesday y

Senior Branch of St. Matthias W.A., bushy meeting, church hall, Wednesday, 2:30. Mrs. W. E. M. Mitchell of the John Howard Society will speak.

Victoria Camera Club, Thursday, 8, Y.M.C.A. George Willis will project his 35 mm. color slides taken on his recent trip of the Okanagan, Kootenays, Waterton National Park, the Rockies, Galt Gardens, Lethbridge and Ontario.

**\$400 at Bazaar**

At the annual fall bazaar of the Women's Benefit Association, Review No. 1, in the S.O.E. Hall, Monday afternoon, the sum of \$400 was cleared for the work of the order. Mrs. Nancy Hodges, M.L.A., elect, opened the affair at 2:30. In her opening address she spoke of her long connection with the association, which covered the years when the ladies were known as the Maccabees. Stalls were well patronized, the home-cooking table sold out very early. Afternoon tea was served and a successful card party held in the evening.

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## Nanaimo Wedding For Connie Lafek

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Nanaimo, was the scene of the marriage Saturday evening of Miss Connie Lafek and Robert Andrew Craig. The bride is the younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lafek of Victoria, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Craig of Vancouver. During the signing of the register, Miss Adele Dunsmore sang "Through the Years" Dave Arnett as at the organ.

To the chime of the church bell, the bride entered the church on the arm of her father. She wore a simple gown of white brocaded satin, the bodice being fitted and the skirt gathered at the waist sweeping in ripples to her feet. Her embroidered veil was arranged with a Juliet cap trimmed with orange blossoms and was worn slightly en train. The bridal bouquet was a shower of red roses, white carnations and gardenias.

Mrs. D. W. Taylor of North Vancouver, sister of the bride, was matron of honor and wore a gown of peach silk net over taffeta with sequin cap and matching veil. Miss Betty Dunsmore and Miss Viola Sands wore twin frocks of yellow and blue sheer respectively with tiny matching caps and sequined shells. All carried pastel chrysanthemums in colonial arrangements.

Mothers of the bride and groom received many guests at a reception at the Plaza Hotel. The three-tier wedding cake was the handiwork of Mrs. J. Sturam.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Craig will reside in Vancouver.

**Successful Sale**—W.A. to the Cowichan branch of the Canadian Legion held a successful sale of used articles, fruit and vegetables in their room in Duncan when the sum of \$130 was realized. Mrs. A. J. Castle was convener of the clothing, assisted by Mesdames R. C. Mainguy, A. Goddard, C. Armour, W. Dennis, W. Cummings, G. Barry, H. Chown, H. Jackson, B. Burns, H. Clark, A. Lloyd, J. W. Griffiths, G. Kenett, E. S. Fox, H. Douglas and J. Ramwell. Flowers, fruit and vegetables were sold by Mesdames F. B. Carberry, A. Rey, A. Fenton and W. Wilson. Mrs. C. E. Bradley was cashier. Mrs. W. Dennis served lunch. Mrs. R. C. Mainguy, president of the W.A. had general supervision.

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Mr. and Mrs. Martin Boas, proprietors of the Hub Furniture Co., have purchased the Mable Estate Building, 713-719 Johnson St., for \$24,000.00

Mr. Boas, a veteran of three years in this war, has been owner of the Hub for 10 years, and during that time the Hub Furniture Co. has occupied one-half of the Mable Building. With the purchasing of the entire building Mr. Boas intends to enlarge the store and have one of the finest new and used furniture stores in Victoria.

Mr. Jim Nocter, manager of the firm, has been a stove specialist for 25 years, and is pleased to announce that the Hub Furniture Co. has been appointed exclusive agents for Vancouver Island for St. Clair Ranges and Heaters.

## Oak Bay Church Scene Of Quiet Wedding

The marriage took place Saturday evening in Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Oak Bay, of Mrs. Billie M. Hartley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Smith, Edmonton, and James C. Maloney, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Maloney of Port Alberni. Father J. Buckley officiated.

Given away by her brother-in-law, O. B. Taylor, the bride wore a street-length frock of gold crepe, complimented by a corsage bouquet of Talisman roses and violets. Miss Irene Maloney, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid, wearing a moss green crepe frock trimmed with sequins and a corsage bouquet of roses and carnations. Warren Paul of Port Alberni was groomsman.

A reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Taylor, Tudor Road, Ten Mile Point, where covers were laid for 25. Toast to the bride was proposed by her nephew, Bill Taylor.

## Schedule Announced At New 'Teen Canteen'

Victoria's new 'Teen Canteen' will be open to 'teen-age boys and girls during the following hours: Monday, 3 to 5 and 7 to 9; Tuesday, 3 to 5, unless rented by outside organizations; Wednesday, 3 to 5 and 7 to 9; Thursday, 3 to 5, unless rented by outside organizations; Friday, 3 to 5 and 7 to 10; Saturday, 2 to 5 and 7 to 11.

Membership cards for juniors between the ages of 13 and 15 will be available at the canteen. A six-month card will cost 25c. Without a card, entrance fees will be 5c with Saturdays and special events 15c.

Senior membership cards for boys and girls from 15 to 19 years will cost 50c for six months. Without a card a senior may enjoy the canteen for 5c with Saturday and special events 25c.

Non-members must be vouched for by two regular canteen members and will pay 10c in advance of all membership rates.

The supervisor, Mrs. Kay Jeune, will be in charge of all events at the canteen. Others on the canteen committee are: Jim Forsythe, Lorna Forsythe, Cleve Stanmark, Shirley Young, June Cummings, Les Gandy, Bernice Griffin, June Harrison, Aileen Leighton, Madeline Marks, Ken Mitchell, Bob Patterson, Doug Pitt, Murray Ray, Lysle Russell and Don Walker.

## Dorothy Dix

### BETROTHAL, AN OPTION

A betrothal should be looked upon in the light of man and woman merely taking an option on each other's hearts and hands. They should regard it as an interlude between the hour when they first struck each other's fancies and the time when they are called upon to sign marriage contract, which they should employ in trying to find out what sort of bargain they are thinking of making and whether they want to take it, or leave it.

And inasmuch as marriage is a much more serious proposition for a woman than it is for a man, it is particularly important that every girl should devote this interval to putting her prospective bridegroom through a questionnaire in order to ascertain what kind of a husband he is likely to make.

### FAIL TO ASK QUESTIONS

But, curiously enough, they don't. They marry without making a single inquiry into the vital matters on which their own happiness is going to depend. Often a girl will not even ask her boy friend what kind of a job he has, and if he will feed her on filet mignon or expect her to live on bread and cheese and kisses. The burden of her song is "Do you love me? Will you always love me? Am I the first and only one?"

Now it is highly desirable for an engaged girl to extort all the passionate vows of devotion that she can get out of a man before marriage, because husbands are likely to be skimping on love-making after marriage. But what, in reality, she should be asking him is not the state of his affections, but what her status as a wife would be.

"Before I sign on the dotted line, I would like to know whether you will regard me as a lady love, or just a useful household gadget?" Will you still take an interest in holding my hand, or will you expect me to get calloused on it cooking and scrubbing to make you comfortable without ever getting even so much as a 'thank you' for it?"

### TERRIBLE COMPANION

Also, I would like to know whether, if I marry you, I will acquire a tiresome companion, or whether I will spend my evenings by my lonesome watching the baby sleep, while you are playing poker with the boys downtown or relaxing in a night club? Also, I would like to have your views, on the safe side of the altar, upon the financial problem. Will you expect me to give up a mahogany desk and a fat pay envelope for an 18-hour-a-day job in domestic service, and then be grateful to you for supporting me? Or will you think the laborer is worthy of her, even if she is married to you?

"And what are your ideas concerning making the wife job attractive, or do you consider that just being married to you is all the fun that any woman could reasonably ask for? Will you treat me with as much politeness as you do your secretary? Will you try to be as interesting a companion to me as you are to the woman who is your dinner partner at a party? Will you make as great an effort to keep me in love with you as you have to win me?"

"There are the things I would like to know about you before I take up my option on you."

### Novel Auction Sale At Yacht Club

Royal Victoria Yacht Club was the scene of a novel social Monday evening when the Ladies' Auxiliary, under the leadership of Mrs. J. M. Green, wife of the commodore, staged an auction sale. Lt.-Cmdr. "Ned" Ashe and Mr. James Thacker of the merchant marine were the auctioneers and a variety of boat gear, home cooking and other articles were "knocked down" to the highest bidders. The results at the end of the evening showed \$200 cleared, all of which will be used for new furnishings in the clubhouse.

### P.T.A. Executive Regional Meeting

Regional meeting of the British Columbia Parent-Teacher Federation executive will be held at Nanaimo, Thursday, commencing at 1:30, to which all Parent-Teacher members are invited. The Victoria and District Parent-Teacher Council have chartered a bus for the day, which will leave the bus depot at 10 and will return to arrive in Victoria at 12:30 midnight. Phone E 9906 for reservations.

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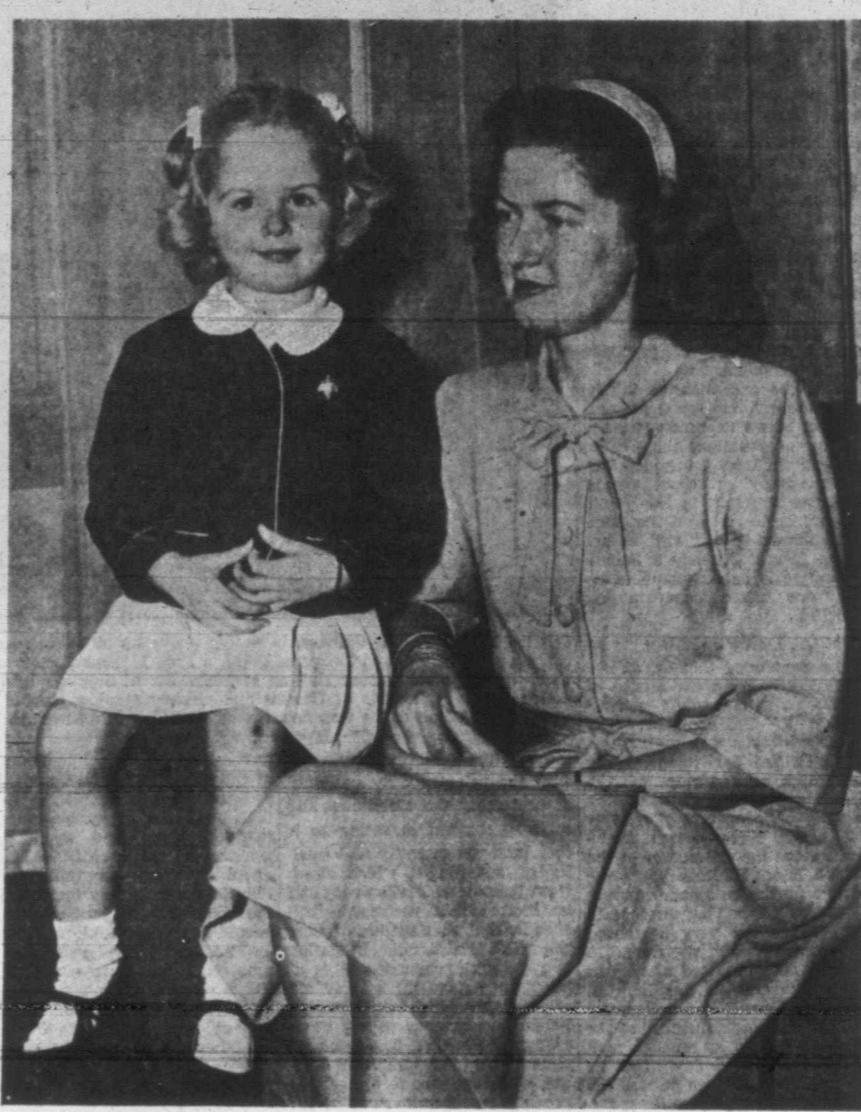
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So much do they like Victoria, their foster home for nearly a year, Mrs. E. C. Mandell and her three-year-old daughter, Janni, will be loath to return to the United States when Lt.-Col. Mandell comes home after service with the 96th U.S. Infantry Division in the Philippines. Mrs. Mandell, who is the daughter-in-law of Brig. H. C. Mandell, formerly a member of Admiral Nimitz staff, and her little girl, make their home at 124 Linden Avenue.

### Beauty Shop Clients Urged to Keep Dates

Women who make appointments for hair-do's, facials, manicures and all the other beauty aids to be found in an up-to-date beauty salon are not always punctual in keeping them. In fact, they are downright forgetful, according to members of the Hairdressers' Association of British Columbia meeting in Vancouver.

Reports of a survey in British Columbia revealed that while many patrons are extremely thoughtful in always notifying the beauty shop, many others fail to do so and create not only serious loss, but prevent other patrons from having work done when appointments are not kept.

Some proprietors recommended that all appointments be required to make a deposit at least.

### Victoria Musical Arts Increases Membership

Executive committee of the Victoria Musical Art Society held a meeting, Mrs. W. Ellis presiding.

Mr. John Gough reported a considerable increase in the membership list over last year, and the treasurer's report showed a satisfactory result from the opening recital.

Mrs. Storey-Waller was appointed press convener in lieu of Miss Louise Hayward, whose resignation from that office was reluctantly accepted. Mrs. A. H. Adams was thanked for her work on the membership committee, and Mrs. P. E. Corby, Mrs. Storey-Waller and Miss Mary Adamson were congratulated on topping the sales of membership tickets.

The next concert will be held on Nov. 28, and will feature Robin Wood, well-known local pianist, and Natalie Minzunick, young mezzo-soprano from Alberta, a pupil of John Goss, Vancouver.

The net proceeds will be held at the tea hour at The Priory, Pemberton Road. Mrs. Fearn Woodburn presided at the tea table. The guests were Messrs. James F. Woodburn, G. Craig, J. G. Cromack, C. Songhurst, and Misses Joan Cromack, Audrey Draper, Bobbie Murray, Dorothy Coleman, Virginia di Castri, Bernice Flude and Joyce Wal-

lace.

Miss Joyce Woodburn, whose

marriage will take place this week, was presented with a table

lamp when Mrs. E. Nutbrown and Miss Darline Woodburn, sister of the bride-elect, entertained at the tea hour at The Priory, Pemberton Road. Mrs. Fearn Woodburn presided at the tea table. The guests were Messrs. James F. Woodburn, G. Craig, J. G. Cromack, C. Songhurst, and Misses Joan Cromack, Audrey Draper, Bobbie Murray, Dorothy Coleman, Virginia di Castri, Bernice Flude and Joyce Wal-

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## People May Have to Decide Whether Or Not They Want a Senate; Fight Is On

(Note → Canada's Senate is rumbling. Two senators last week debated the future of this body and the Times Ottawa correspondent, Norman MacLeod, in a special story, intimated that the Senate is really worked up over the bill to give the M.P.'s an extra \$2,000 for "expenses," free of income tax. In the discussions in the Senate one of the leading speakers will be Senator G. G. McGeer of Vancouver, who was this year appointed to the Upper House. Senator McGeer has written the following pertinent article for the Victoria Times.)

By SENATOR G. G. McGEER  
Peace may come to our war-torn world, but there are

signs now that the peaceful attitude that has prevailed in Ottawa between the Commons and the Senate may be smashed asunder. In the three score and twelve years that have passed since the Canadian House of Commons and the Canadian Senate were born, these two houses, which constitute the Parliament of Canada, have gotten along fairly well together. This has been happily so, notwithstanding the fact that the Senate has always asserted its authority as the Upper House over the Commons as the Lower House.

The Senate has exercised its powers to stop the Commons from spending money. They have done this on a great many occasions, the most notable being when the Senate refused to pass the bill of the Commons in 1913 providing for the grant of \$35,000,000 to the imperial government to aid in increasing the strength of the British navy.

They have made recommendations to the Commons to spend money which the government has acted upon, the outstanding example of this action originating in the recommendation of the Senate being found in the establishment of the Tourist Travel Bureau. In regard to this matter the Senate conducted an investigation, reported on the tremendous possibilities of Canadian tourist trade and recommended that a travel bureau be set up with a substantial appropriation to finance its activities. This recommendation was accepted, the travel bureau was inaugurated, and since then the appropriations for the travel bureau have amounted to something over \$1,000,000. The returns from the Canadian tourist trade in the same period have been over \$1,300,000.

REFUSED B.N.A.A. AMENDMENT  
In 1936, when the Commons proposed to amend the constitution, namely, the British North America Act, to give to the provinces certain powers to levy indirect taxation, the Senate refused to accept the proposed amendment and the matter was dropped.

In 1925, when the Commons passed the first Old Age Pensions Bill, the Senate offered several amendments. The Senate and Commons, unable to agree, finally came to a deadlock and the Pensions Bill was, for the time being, killed. In 1926, however, the Mackenzie King administration submitted the Pensions Bill to the electorate and Mr. King promised that, if he were elected, the same old Pensions Bill would be passed by the new Commons as a bill carrying with it not only the sanction of the Commons, but the mandate of the Canadian electorate.

Mr. King won the election and

the Senate, of course, could not be active. The crises which continuously appeared in this last great martyrdom of men were too serious to permit of internal conflict. The Senate gave approval and lent whatever assistance it could and in that way made its best contribution to Canada's great war effort.

Now the war is over! The propensity of centralized power in Ottawa to ignore the rights of the provinces and the territorial divisions of the nation is already appearing. It is upon the Senate that the outlying territories and provinces must depend! It is the Senate and the Senate alone that can guard against the growing tendency of bureaucracy and the easy method of ruling by decrees and order-in-council. It is the Senate and the Senate alone that can bring government of the people by the people for the people back to the people of Canada.

### Senate Left Out

The government, backed by the Commons, has fired the first shot. They propose to increase the indemnity of the Commons and the members of government, but the Senate has been left out. With the great majority of the Senators, it is not a matter of dollars and cents. It is something far more important than that. It is the lowering of the position of the Senate to something below that of the House of Commons.

The Senate, therefore, is a purely Canadian institution, in which the primary duty of a Senator from the Maritime provinces is that of protecting the Maritimes against the increasing majority in the other parts of the Dominion. The 24 Senators from

the Maritimes sit in the Senate with the primary duty not only of protecting the Maritimes and their rights, but in seeing to it that both the quantity and quality of advantages which flows from the federal Parliament shall be kept within reasonable balance so that that section of Canada with its small population may enjoy proportionately at least the equivalent of any aid or assistance which the Dominion Parliament extends to any other section of Canada. The same applies to the Senators from Quebec, who are there to protect the province in its enjoyment of the language, law, municipal customs, religion and ways of life of the French Canadian people, and the same, of course, applies to the 24 Senators who represent Ontario and the 24 who represent western Canada.

In addition to these exceptional responsibilities, the Senate has the power to review and amend all legislation coming to it from the Commons. It is in truth the Upper House of our Parliament.

### Inactive in War

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Second salesman in the loan is also a return veteran, Vernon Ridgeway, who was with the Cameron Highlanders of Winnipeg. Mr. Ridgeway helped with the first loan, then enlisted in the army, served overseas, was severely wounded, and is now back on the job for the 9th Loan with his arm still in a cast. He has 168.7 per cent of objective, and is canvassing Esquimalt.

Tom Cook, manager of the Rio Theatre, reported to city police

Monday the theatre office had been entered Detective H. Jarvis investigated and found a rear door had been opened, the office door had been opened, and the bolts and the dial removed from the front of the safe. The safe, however, apparently had not been opened. About \$2 worth of stamps was missing.

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# Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

WENATCHEE and Bremerton today hold franchises in the Western International Baseball League through a lot of hard work by Joe Brownlow, Wenatchee newspaperman, and some pretty smart lobbying by Yubi Separovich, business manager and part owner of the Sacramento club in the Pacific Coast League. For two weeks previous to the annual meeting of the W.I.L.L. here last week-end, Brownlow scouted the Pacific northwest, visiting every town of any size in an effort to find somebody willing to back a club in the pro circuit. He knew Wenatchee was solid with Sacramento, willing to operate in the apple city, but it was a case of digging up another backer as the league directors would never go for a seven-club circuit.

WHEN the league directors went into session here, Wenatchee and Bremerton made their applications for franchises. Then the fun started. The Sacramento proposition for Wenatchee met with the approval of the league but such was not the case with Bremerton. W. W. Shepherd had shown he could provide sufficient finances to support a team but the league wanted more than that. He had no guarantee of a park and could not provide sufficient evidence of good faith that he would not start the season and then tail by the wayside if the going got a little tough. That put Wenatchee right behind the eight ball. Bremerton had to get in for them to be granted membership in the league. Brownlow and Shepherd got busy on the telephone and contacted the mayor of Bremerton and he came through with support of Shepherd while Separovich got hold of the Bremerton chief of police, who happened to be in Victoria for attendance at the police ball Friday evening; and he went before the meeting to tend support to the Bremerton application for a franchise. Then it was a question of the trio sitting it out. It meant an eight-hour wait as it took just that much time for the directors to reach a decision in their favor.

THIS FELLOW Separovich has certainly established himself in Sacramento. Just 11 years ago was a welder and today he and his partner have \$50,000 tied up in the Coast League ball club and he holds the job of business manager while his partner looks after two food markets, three liquor stores, a night club and a cocktail bar. In two seasons the Sacramento club has built up its attendance from 31,000 three years ago to 245,000 last season. Yubi told me the Solons have 103 ball players on their roster and for that reason alone were anxious to move into Wenatchee. "However, we will be in a position to help all the teams in the W.I.L.L." Separovich stated. "After we get the Solons and our Wenatchee club set we will release the remainder of our players and they will be available to other teams in the Western International."

CHATTING to the various baseball leaders here for the meeting, I learned they are all confident pro baseball will be a successful promotion in this city. Chaps like Bill Klepper of Portland and Bob Brown of Vancouver, who have been associated with the game so many years they hate to tell the exact number, have every confidence in this city as a franchise holder. They feel it is just a question of the Victoria club passing up no bets in gaining the support of the public.

## Navy Quits Rugby Loop

## Three Battles Monday

Victoria English rugby fans who troop out to MacDonald Park Monday, Nov. 12, will be treated to a three-hour action show when six local union fifteen teams clash on the two pitches of the James Bay enclosure starting at 1:30.

Two senior league battles are carded on the triple-decker program and the expectation is that really tough battles will be the order of the afternoon as these teams shoot for a bettering of positions in the standings.

The show will open at 1:30 with Oak Bay Wanderers and Victoria College seniors in action. This will be followed an hour later with Naval College and Victoria College intermediates meeting. Final attraction will start at 3 when the present two top teams of the senior circuit, J.B.A.A. and Naval College, clash.

Leadership in the Barnard Cup race will hinge on the outcome of the Bays-Naval College struggle. Today finds the Bays riding the premier slot with a quartet of points and navy colleagues panting along right at their heels with a point less. This will be the first meeting of this pair.

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## Great Record to Date

MONTREAL (CP)—National Hockey League statistics, released today, showed Toe Blake,

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H.M.C.S. Uganda—Fairley, Han-

dielem, Cahill 6, Bell, Kelly, Mos-

pell, Park 2, Province 9, Francis

8, Goldfinch, Bayduck 11.

Chinese Students—Lowe, Chan

1, T. Mar 4, Fong, W. Lee 12,

D. Lee 16, Won 1, B. Mar 6, Kent 2.

Hotshots—V. Bartlett 3, F.

Bartlett 1, Noye, Walter 2, Ken-

Nedy 4, Keast, Kerr 2, Mason 11,

Mattison 4, Cockburn, Ritchie

Handicap 30.

Rookies—Blackey 2, Manton 3,

Coates 1, P. Spiers, B. Spiers,

Guiness 6, Foster 4, Lindquist 4,

Page 2.

## Stukus Can Still Top Grid Scorers

TORONTO (CP)—With the International Football League into its playoff stage, Toronto Indians' Anna Stukus still had one more chance to pass Royal Copeland and earn the unique distinction of leading all eastern Canada individual scorers without having counted a touchdown.

A Canadian Press compilation after week-end games showed the Ontario Rugby Union half-back in second place with 38 points. Still first with two points more was Copeland, whose opportunity to better his total ended when Toronto Argonauts finished their regular schedule.

Annis, top scorer in his own league, added four points as Indians beat Windsor Rockets 14 to 2 Friday night, to bring his count to eight field goals, as many converts and six singles. He has a final chance to go into the lead when Indians met Toronto Balmy Beach in their last scheduled match.

**NAVY WITHDRAW**

At last night's meeting of the Victoria Rugby Union, presided over by Major J. C. MacDonald, it was learned with regret from manager CPO. Andy Charron that owing to exigencies of service the Royal Canadian Navy was forced to withdraw from the senior league. This booted the Barnard Cup drive down to a four-team affair.

Charron explained this decision had been made because navy rugger personnel, who were chiefly from the ships, could not be counted upon to be on hand for practices or games owing to the extensive activity of the service. There was no sign of an improvement this season that would allow him to make up a top-notch fifteen such as represented the R.C.N. in years gone by.

President MacDonald said that he had been contacted by the B.C. Rugby Union in regard to the first McKechnie Cup battle on Victoria soil. The local union had asked to have the Tide vs. Vancouver meeting here on Boxing Day, Dec. 26, but the B.C. Union foresees difficulties in shipping a team on Christmas Day night and named Dec. 29 as their preference for this clash.

Victoria's B.C. Union delegate Arthur Cox, read a message from Bobby Van Horne, an expert in the fine points of first aid, offering to train representatives of rugby clubs as first aid men through night classes.

With a prize going to each class winner, the third monthly medal competition, 18 holes on full handicap, will be played Saturday at the Victoria Golf Club. Entrants will be divided into the following classes: A—10 and under; B—11 to 15, and C—16 and over.

### MINOR HOCKEY

All members of the Victoria Juvenile Hockey Association who will make the trip to Nanaimo next Sunday for the workout of the midget and juvenile clubs are asked to pick up their equipment from Ivan Temple at 1325 Minto Street this evening at 8:30.

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## Gyros Told City Should Push For Harbor Development

The prime importance of pushing for harbor development was a responsibility of the city council and its harbor committee, not of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce. Walter Miles said in an address before members of the Victoria Gyro Club in Empress Hotel Monday.

He felt the city council at present had members who were insufficiently versed in trade and commerce to deal with knowledge on harbor development.

Mr. Miles, a director of the Chamber of Commerce and an active participant in shipping affairs, gave a brief outline of development of harbor facilities here. He suggested the club study harbor development, for which he believed there was a great number of opportunities.

He reminded the club the shipping situation was changing every week. The government shipping administrations of Canada and the U.S. were either converting or selling ships to other countries, and shipping would soon be back in the hands of private concerns, he said.

"If we are not united in our efforts and undertakings, we will get nowhere," he said. "We are now at one of the strategic points in the history of the port of Victoria."

He noted the Chamber of Commerce now had, in addition to backing of the civic and public organizations, the backing of all labor groups here.

### 2 BREAKWATERS NEEDED

He stressed what he believed the urgent need for two breakwaters, originally called for in plans for harbor development, and said the future of the fishing industry here depended on development of harbor facilities. The fishing industry could have a great future here, he believed. The breakwaters would also give protection to big ships, he added, saying he had reason to believe the C.P.R. would use the port if the breakwaters were constructed.

He spoke of berthing facilities at Ogden Point, and said there had been times in peace years when vessels had been obliged to anchor in Royal Roads to wait for berths. That had not occurred during the war, he said, but warned shipping would soon return to normal.

Speaking of the number of lines which used to call in here, he said there was one, the American Mail Line, which had announced it did not intend to resume use of the port. The Chamber of Commerce was sending a representative to the company to find out the reason, he said.

"Mr. Miles went on to say he believed the lumber assembly business and the whaling industry would be increased here if better harbor facilities were provided.

He spoke of the trade which was going from Canada by way of the Pacific coast, and held Victoria had a considerable advantage over Vancouver in not being bothered extensively with fog hazard. Ships could come in here and tranship their cargoes on to smaller vessels which had a far better chance of getting through.

In conclusion, he pointed out dredging contracts here were useless without the protection of breakwaters.

## Victoria Man Saw Atom Bomb Blast

Cpl Ward F. Redshaw, Victorian in the U.S. army, clambered out of a foxhole about a minute after the atomic bomb explosion wrecked Nagasaki.

"I saw a cloud," said Redshaw, on his return to this coast. "It was a beautiful rose-pink and it went higher and higher. It smelled well, peculiar. The smell made me think the Nagasaki chemical plant had exploded."

Redshaw was a prisoner of war, then, and didn't find out until after his liberation that he had been a witness of the explosion of the atomic energy bomb.

With Cpl. Albert F. Tresch of Puyallup, Wash., who was loading Japanese freight cars 50 miles from Nagasaki and also witnessed the blast, Redshaw will tour Washington in behalf of the American victory bond campaign.

Cpl. Redshaw's mother, Mrs. E. Rosenthal, resides at 813 Island Road. Before he enlisted with the U.S. Army in 1940 he was well-known in sports circles here and in Cumberland. He was taken prisoner during the battle of Bataan and was moved from the Philippines to Japan two years ago.

Building permits were issued to T. S. Horne to build a 6-room house at 2541 Roseberry Street, value \$6,000, and to E. E. Evans to build a 5-room house at 3136 Shelburne.

## Back In Civvies

H. A. PAINTER

Howard Painter, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Painter, 640 Pine Street, will enter his father's business after completing his discharge leave Dec. 1. He returned to Victoria last week after two years' service overseas,

crossing the Atlantic aboard the Queen Elizabeth. Mr. Painter joined up in May, 1943, going overseas the same year where he was with the Lincoln and Welland Regiment. He served as a private on the western front, finishing in Germany.

### ROBERT FORT

After three and a half years with the artillery, Robert Fort received his discharge late last month and resumed photography at his studio here. He held

rank of major and was stationed on the Pacific coast recently at Prince Rupert. During the first World War he was overseas for five years, serving with the 7th Battalion on the western front and with the Canadian training division in England. With his wife he resides at 417 Constance Avenue.

### ALLAN CARLSON

A former member of the Express Hotel staff, Allan Carlson has received his discharge from the R.C.A.F. and plans to resume

## 7 Garagemen Fined

Seven service-station operators were fined \$5 each in city police court Monday for failing to display, while closed on Sunday, Oct. 28, written notices giving the location of storage garages where motorists could get supplies of gasoline and crankcase oil for immediate requirements.

All seven pleaded guilty. One said that he always had closed on Sundays and did not see why he should now be required to advertise competitors.

The seven were W. A. Buckle,

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"Hey!" he bursts out. "The war's over. Didn't you know? Oh, just a game, is it? It's no game, boy. I've been through it, and my Dad . . . my Dad didn't come through the last one. That's two of us. That's enough! No wars for you, sonny!"

He looks at his youngster and thinks: "The poor kid doesn't know what peace is. But, thank God, he'll have a chance to learn, now. He's going to grow up in the better world they've all been talking about. Let's hope these folks who stayed at home meant what they said."

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Trees are now being shipped by truck and rail to the large metropolitan centres of the central and eastern states, some trees going to the Atlantic seaboard.

The Invermere district last year produced about 1,106,000 trees, which sold at from 40 to 75¢ per ball.

### ON VICTORIA ISLAND

Some Christmas-tree cutting will also be done on Vancouver Island but not on the scale of 10 years ago when a considerable quantity of young Douglas fir trees were shipped from island logging centres to brighten the windows of homes across Canada and in the eastern United States.

The slower growing Douglas fir on the low benches of the Kootenay districts has proved superior to the faster-growing tree.

Some trees this year will also be shipped from the Fort George forest district to the United States.

While Vancouver Island has lost out in the export market of Christmas trees, forest lots on the island will undoubtedly supply the domestic market in these areas.

### POACHERS GET CROP

In the past a considerable quantity of poaching and hijacking has been connecting with Christmas-tree cutting, the young firs being taken without permit at night from private and crown lands and rushed by truck to the markets in Victoria and Vancouver.

The forest department of the

provincial government feels that the Christmas-tree cutting industry may be concentrated even more in the Kootenay district in the future than it is at present. Beside providing a superior tree for the market the Kootenay district lands on which Christmas trees are produced are not suitable for other forest products.

The forest service recognises that Christmas trees are a legitimate forest product and believes that the perpetual production of Christmas trees on certain poor-quality growing sites can be good forestry if properly managed.

Efforts have been made to convert the industry from "mining" the land for trees to "farming" Christmas trees, with production being on a sustained yield basis.

### Orders-in-Council

By provincial order-in-council R. A. Damstron, acting forest ranger, Nelson forest district, has been appointed a constable for the purposes of the Forest Act.

The government through order-in-council has approved the application of Bloodel, Stewart and Welch Ltd. to purchase 60 acres of land on Taylor River, Clayoquot district. The tract will be used as a logging camp site.

The provincial government has reserved for gravel pit purposes a parcel of land in the Cowichan district on the east branch of the Robertson River.

George Armstrong, Kaslo, has been appointed stipendiary magistrate and judge of the small debts court to succeed Ronald Hewat.

Formerly a commissioner while chairman of the T.B. Veterans' section of the Legion in Victoria, Richard Smith, Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion, has been appointed a commissioner to take affidavits.

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## Boilermakers to Ask Pearson to Continue in Labor Portfolio

A delegation to interview Labor Minister George S. Pearson to request him to abandon any thought of relinquishing his labor portfolio has been appointed by the Boilermakers' and Iron Shipbuilders' Union, Local No. 2, Victoria.

Members of the committee, it was announced today, are James D. Smith, union president; F. H. Dyke, secretary, and D. E. Fitzgerald, trustee.

Since the re-election of the Coalition government it has been rumoured at the Parliament Buildings and elsewhere that for health reasons and because of the load of work which will come with the post-war expansion of social services, Mr. Pearson might request that he be relieved of his labor portfolio to devote all his time to his work as Provincial Secretary. Mr. Pearson is also provincial Commissioner of Fisheries.

"We feel," said Mr. Smith, "that with the conversion of industry from war to peace activities, and the subsequent shift of labor, Mr. Pearson is needed more than at any time since he took over the labor post in 1933 as a protector of working men's rights."

### PEASON DREW VOTES

"Many thousands of workers voted for Coalition candidates in the recent election solely because Mr. Pearson was Labor Minister and they had the utmost confidence that they would receive a square deal as long as he remained such. To them, Mr. Pearson's relinquishment of the post would be a sad blow."

Premier John Hart said after the election indicated no shuffling of the cabinet would be made until after the final count of ballots about Nov. 15.

Shuffling is necessary because of the failure of Education Minister H. G. T. Perry to win re-election in Fort George constituency.

Latest Parliament Buildings "buzzes" have Dr. George Weir, former education minister of provincial secretary, and Norman W. Whittaker, K.C., Speaker of the 20th Legislature, as slated for this portfolio.

Agriculture Minister K. C. Mac Donald, who was unable to conduct an election campaign because of illness but nevertheless was re-elected in North Okanagan, may also have to relinquish his portfolio because of ill health.

Frank Putnam, re-elected in Nelson-Creston Oct. 25, who was agriculture minister for a short time in the Pattullo government before the formation of the Coalition regime in late 1941, is mentioned for this post if it is relinquished by Dr. Mac Donald.

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Mrs. Margaret D. Christie

first woman alderman in Victoria, who was defeated last December, announced her candidature some weeks ago. T. A. Cresswell, who has tried unsuccessfully a number of times for a council seat, has entered the field again.

There seems little doubt but that Ald. T. W. Hawkins, Ald. Williams, Ald. B. J. Gadsden and Ald. F. A. Willis will enter the field again, although none of them say they have made up their minds yet.

The B.C. men are: Gnr. R. J. Allingham, Oyama; Pte. J. Arthur, Kelowna; Pte. J. Blezard, Prince George; Pte. W. G. Bourne, Wellington; L.Cpl. R. E. Carson, Cloverdale; Sardis; Sgt. L. A. Chastre, Vernon; Tpr. J. W. Clark, Nanaimo; Cpl. J. Deans, Trail; Cpl. H. A. Dufieux, Vancouver; Spr. W. E. Douglas, Suswaf Falls; Lumby; Cpl. G. M. Dunster, Vancouver; L.Cpl. D. J. Hunt, Ganges Harbor; Pte. T. H. Murphy, 94th Collison Street, Victoria; Gnr. A. H. McKinley, Nainmo; Gnr. G. W. Neshy, Vancouver; Spr. H. S. Odegaard, Bella Coola; Pte. H. A. Oliver, Nelson; Cpl. L. W. Phillip, Vancouver; Sgt. L. R. Punt, 600 Speed Avenue, Victoria; Cfm. E. Rich, New Westminster; Pte. J. T. Turner, Pritchard; Sgt. H. Wright, Vancouver.

There are another seven veterans aboard who come from the other provinces. They will be met at H.M.C.S. Givindich, and taken to Macaulay Camp, where the army has made special arrangements to pay them.

### OTHER PROSPECTS

Labor has announced a municipal platform and it is expected that they will enter a full slate of candidates. There is also some talk of the Junior Chamber of Commerce entering the field of municipal politics.

In the school board field Miss

Isla Tuck has stated that she

will run for re-election, and indications are that the other trustees, F. G. Mulliner, W. A. Bayliss and W. Ord, will enter the field again, although Mr. Bayliss said earlier that press of business might keep him out.

Maj. R. H. Green, local bar

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## Buys Bonds for Brother



Because she had one brother in the R.C.A.F. who was killed on active service, because she has another brother who has recently received his discharge from the navy, and because she has a fiance who is awaiting discharge from the army, Miss Alice Garonsky, second cook at the Pacific Club, is buying a \$500 9th Victory Loan bond. She is shown above with J. P. D. Chadwick, loan salesman, as she signs up for the bond. Miss Garonsky who is 21 years old and comes originally from Winnipeg, said she was told that the 9th Loan was to "bring the boys back" and she wants to do all she can to help. Her parents, who still live in Winnipeg, came from Poland but all the children were born in Canada.

## 1,300 Repatriates Say Farewell

Thirteen hundred British repatriates from Jap prison camps left Victoria on two special C.P.R. boats en route to their homes in the United Kingdom.

First to leave was Ss. Princess Victoria which sailed at 9:30 with 880 repatriates. Ss. Princess Joan left at 11:30 with 430.

A number of Victorians stood on the ramp as the veterans pulled away singing "Auld Lang Syne" to the music of a military band.

The starboard rail of the Joan was lined with repatriates, and her multi-colored bunting lent warmth to the scene.

### Acclamation Looms For Mayor George For Second Term

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R. B. Wilson spoke briefly of the firm's activities during the difficult war years, and thanked the staff for loyal co-operation, and drew a heartening and encouraging picture of what might be expected as wartime restrictions were gradually removed.

Col. Ted Cabeldu described the new Chevrolet, the Oldsmobile and the Cadillac which would soon be on the market and which Wilson & Cabeldu will present to Victoria, and predicted a prosperous future for the automotive trade in general.

Members of the Wilson & Cabeldu staff from Oak Bay, Langford and Duncan, were also present, and the evening closed with much appreciated professional entertainment.

Seated at the head table with R. B. Wilson and Col. Ted Cabeldu were: Miss Valentine, office manager; George Thackrey, head of the service staff, and Sam Keeble, assistant general manager.

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### BACKWOODS SCHOOL MASTERS "TAUGHT TO TUNE OF HICKORY STICK"

Boys and girls of today have good schools to attend. Millions of dollars are paid from the public treasury for buildings and the cost of teaching.

Going back a century or two, we find a different picture. In pioneer days on this continent, it was hard for children to get proper schooling. It was the common custom for parents to pay "fees" to teachers who kept schools of one kind or another.

The backwoods school was a quaint place. A log cabin (which might have only a single window) made up a schoolhouse. The pupils ranged widely in age, some being only seven or eight years old, while others were well up in their teens. At the present time, one-room country schools exist in backward districts, and these have pupils of many ages, but at least the lighting is better, and there is better equipment.



And the BIRCH was never idle for long.

In a backwoods school, the teacher almost always was a man. He felt that he had to "drive" knowledge into the heads of the boys and girls in the school. Close at hand, he kept a birch rod or hickory stick. An old song was written about him, and in it were these words, "Reading and 'riting and 'ithmetic, taught to the tune of hickory stick."

The three subjects named in the song make up the famous "three R's." To this day, reading, writing and arithmetic are among the most important of grade school subjects. Yet pupils in modern schools learn many other things, including grammar, geography and history.

Even in the matter of the "three R's," the old-time schoolmasters were lacking, at times. Arithmetic, the third "R," seems to have given them the most trouble. They might add and subtract fairly well, but would often find it hard to get the right answers in long division.

School years nowadays last about nine months on the average. In backwoods days, some of the teachers were "traveling schoolmasters." They would spend only two or three months in a district, then would go to another district.

Most pioneer children grew up with poor education, but some among them found that the ability to read gave them a "magic key." They used their free time to read all the good books they could find, and in this way they educated themselves to a high point.

### Bought By U.B.C.

VANCOUVER (CP) — Thirty-six army huts which compose the entire camp at the corner of Eighth Street and 10th Avenue in New Westminster, has been purchased from the War Assets Corporation by the University of B.C. The huts will provide additional lecture rooms, laboratories and living accommodations for 1,500 veterans expected to attend U.B.C. in January.

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### Brazil's New President Sworn In



Jose Linhares, marked with 2 X's, Chief Justice of the Brazilian Supreme Court, is sworn in to assume the Presidency of Brazil until the scheduled elections Dec. 2. At left, marked with 1 X, is War Minister Pedro Aurelio Góes Monteiro who invited Linhares to serve after Getulio Vargas resigned in the midst of a tense political situation.

### The DOCTOR Says:

#### VIRUS PNEUMONIA, A RECENT DISCOVERY

By WILLIAM A. O'BRIEN, D.D.

When patients with respiratory infections were given special X-ray, blood and bacteriologic tests a few years ago, a new variety of pneumonia was brought to light. It was learned that pneumonia (inflammation of the lungs) could be caused by a virus as well as by germs. Virus pneumonia is also known as a typical pneumonia because of its irregular course and symptoms.

#### X-RAY SHOWS TROUBLE

Complaints of weakness, sweating, loss of appetite are common. Temperature usually is not high, color is good and breathing is not labored. Examination of the chest with the X-ray shows extensive involvement with patches throughout both lungs. These patches are caused by collapsed air sacs from which the swollen, inflamed bronchi have shut off the air; when the bronchi reopen, the shadows disappear as the air returns.

Average patients are acutely ill about a week or 10 days, but are not considered to be well until the lungs are clear.

Dry, harsh, irritating cough is a troublesome feature of virus pneumonia. Patients often cough until the chest and abdominal muscles are sore; fractured ribs have been reported from excessive coughing. Cough may persist for three or four weeks after the fever has subsided.

Virus pneumonia has been transmitted to healthy subjects who volunteered for the experiment. The infection is moderately contagious and may occur in epidemics.

#### PLENTY OF LIQUIDS

Patients with virus pneumonia should stay in bed a week or 10 days, or longer if necessary. They need plenty of nourishing food, and should be encouraged to drink liberal quantities of water and juices. Drugs which suppress irritating cough and relieve inflamed, irritated bronchi bring the most relief. Sulfa



Virtual civil war is raging in China as troops of the Chinese Central Government of Chiang Kai-shek battle Communist troops at widely-separated points. Thousands of Chiang's troops, transported by the U.S. Navy, face the Reds along the Great Wall between China and Manchuria.

drugs or penicillin are not of value except to ward off possible complications. Usual course of virus pneumonia is favorable. Although the death rate is low, the disease is disabling and convalescence is protracted.

Some cases of virus pneumonia might be prevented if those suffering from upper respiratory infections would go to bed and stay there until they are well.

Kube, Neilly D. Ramsay, 18, and David L. Lash were remanded on robbery with violence charges until Tuesday.

The charges were laid in connection with two theatre hold-ups here last month.

Norman Vickers, 20, was remanded to Friday for hearing of a robbery with violence charge in connection with a taxi driver hold-up Saturday.

The four men were taken into custody over the week-end as police intensified investigations following seven armed hold-ups in a week.

### May Nationalize British Hospitals

LONDON (CP) — Legislation to bring Britain's independently operated hospitals under state control was predicted in parliamentary circles today as the next objective of the government in its expanding nationalization program.

The measure probably will be introduced shortly after parliament's Christmas holidays as part of a comprehensive national health plan now being drafted.

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### Today's Crossword Puzzle



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CANADIAN NEWS

## Where To Go Tonight

(AD Advertised)

ATLAS—Show Burch in "Adventure in Music."

CADET—"A Tree Grows in Brooklyn," starring Dorothy McGuire.

CAPITOL—Betty Hutton in "Incendiary Blonde."

DOMINION—"Pillow to Post," starring Ida Lupino.

OAK BAY-PLAZA—"Colonel Blimp," starring Anton Walbrook.

RIO—Maria Montez in "Sudan."

YORK—"Why Girls Leave Home," with Lola Lane.

## Warner Comedy Held Over at Dominion

William Prince gets his best break in pictures playing the romantic lead opposite Ida Lupino in Warner Bros.' "Pillow to Post," currently at the Dominion.

The role is that of a tough, dynamic, free-swinging guy.

While reminiscing on the set not so long ago, Director Vincent Sherman revealed his reason for selecting young Prince.

Sherman was seeing another film in the studio projection room, and was especially impressed with a fight scene between a studio extra and Prince. Prince "kayoed" the guy with a vicious "haymaker."

"Any guy that's got a 'Sunday punch' like that," grinned Sherman, "is plenty good enough for me for the romantic lead, in a Pillow to Post."

The film also stars Sydney Greenstreet, the "Fat Man," in a new and different role.

CAPITOL THEATRE

If she has her way, which she usually gets, Betty Hutton will play the lead in a big western picture before the year is out.

Betty went through elaborate training in roping, riding and gun-shooting for early sequences in Paramount's "Incendiary Blonde," the Technicolor musical currently at the Capitol Theatre, based on the life of Texas Guinan. As a rodeo star, she had to know her stuff and worked a month in advance of the picture's start perfecting her technique.

Betty liked the western scenes so much that she is working on her bosses to purchase a story of Arizona which she read while on location in Tucson. The story is by Edward Lynn, a long-time resident of the city.

YORK THEATRE

Jan sessions, swing music and night clubs form the background of PRC's modern melodrama, "Why Girls Leave Home," which is currently at the York Theatre.

It is a dramatic original story by Fanya Foss Lawrence which emphasizes the point that envy and avarice are just as strong in the hearts of humans today as they have been from time immemorial and that their consequences are just as dire.

Lola Lane and Sheldon Leonard head a carefully chosen cast of "Why Girls Leave Home."

Prominent among the players are Pamela Blake, Elisha Co., Jr., Paul Gulfoyle, Constance Worth, Claudia Drake, Virginia Brissac, Thomas Jackson and Peggy Lou Bianco.

The picture was directed by William Berke and produced by Sam Sax.

RIO THEATRE

Turhan Bey, filmdom's newest romantic heart-throb, reveals hitherto hidden talent in his latest Universal picture, "Sudan," which is now at the Rio Theatre.

For the first time in its four years of motion picture work, the handsome Turk will be heard singing. With Maria Montez, his co-star in the Universal technicolor adventure romance, he sings a duet.

LUXTON ENTERTAINMENT

Residents of Luxton and district supported Klondike Night, sponsored by the Glen Lake Athletic Club in aid of the group's basketball team, at Luxton Hall.

Games and refreshments were enjoyed in a full evening of entertainment. Included among those who contributed to the success of the affair were Mrs. A. Hankin, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lock, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bailey, Rhoda Rose Mayne, J. Young, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Willway, Miss Audrey Lock, Miss Myrtle Reid, Wallace Bailey, Wilfred Hankin, Miss Alyce Woods, Miss Nora Moseley, Miss Betty Crossfield, Miss Betty Petrie, Miss Colleen Petrie, Andy Foley, Jerry Moseley, Ted Peatt, Dick Oliver, Donnie Heaps, Denny and Jack White, Bob Lywood and Billy Henderson.

Pharmaceutical Association of British Columbia announces supplementary examinations have been granted to Winifred Rose Anderson of Cunningham's Ltd., 1101 Douglas Street, Victoria, in materia medica and dispensing; Margaret Kathleen Lee of McVicar's Pharmacy, Fort Alberni, in dispensing, and Thos. R. Woolsey, Owl Drug Co., Fort and Douglas Streets, Victoria, in botany.

At all times, he citation says, "It is the most lavish, and, at the same time, the most breathtaking method of calling attention to film titles ever adopted by a studio. Filmed magnificently in technicolor, the tapestries are woven in deep, lush colors that are a joy to the eye and serve as a fascinating preview to the film itself."

Starring in this tale of high adventure and romance are Anton Walbrook, well known here for his work in "The Invaders" and two fine English players, Deborah Kerr and Roger Livesey.

Purchase of \$5,000 in 9th Loan Victory Bonds for the Ross Bay Cemetery Maintenance Fund and \$250 for the Old Men's Home Entertainment Fund was approved.

A grant of \$360 to the Navy League and of \$73.10 to the Boy Scouts Association to enable them to pay their taxes.

Appointments of M. F. Waller as paymaster, on probation for three months, and of Flt. Lt. Alex Batchelor, D.F.C. and Bar, as apprentice electrician in the electric light department were approved.

LAND SALES

Sale of 16 parcels of land, six

of them to veterans, for a total

of \$9,770 was approved by council.

The lands and zoning

committee recommendation that

1027 Queens Avenue and 1497

Myrtle Street be rezoned to per-

mit grocery stores already es-

tablished to remain there was

approved.

After a long argument on

policy, as to whether it was a

good idea to have a full-time en-

gineer on the waterworks under-

G. M. Irwin, water commissi-

on, a recommendation of the water

board that R. H. Davies be ap-

pointed assistant water com-

missioner was referred back for

consideration of a joint meet-

ing of the public works commit-

tee and the water board.

The entire council is to attend

the Canadian Legion Remem-

brance Day service at the War

Memorial at 11 a.m. Sunday

morning.

It was decided to round the

corner, at a cost of \$145, of the

northwest corner of the inter-

section of Haultain and Shel-

burne Avenues.

Approval was given to the

placing of stop signs on the

south side of David Street, where

it intersects with the west side

of Bridge Street, and on the

north side of Cormorant Street

where it intersects with the east

side of Blanshard Street.

Similar resolutions have been

forwarded to the other three mu-

nicipalities and they are asked

to appoint delegates to join with

the city committee and approach

the provincial government to ask

the implementation of the reso-

lution.

The delegates are in-

structed that they cannot under-

take any financial obligation upon

the municipalities without first

referring the matter back to their

respective councils.

## P. L. James Resigns As Architect For Memorial Arena

VICTORIA DAILY TIMES: Tuesday, Nov. 6, 1945

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## Referendum On Public Utilities' Ownership Held In Abeyance

The holding of a referendum on whether or not the city should take over the B.C. Electric Railway Co.'s assets in Victoria is being held in abeyance until further information on how the deal is to be financed, it was decided at Monday's City Council meeting.

Ald. Ed. Williams was most emphatic in wanting any consideration of the referendum held over until it was ascertained what the exact situation was, and whether it would cost the citizens of Victoria any money should the vote be in favor of public ownership.

Ald. J. A. Worthington charged that there had been misrepresentations to the council when it held its special meeting last Monday, prior to Mayor Percy George, Ald. Williams and city solicitor A. J. Patton going to Vancouver to attend the special meeting of 31 municipalities on the subject.

"I don't want to be associated in any way with the taking over of the public utilities, or holding a referendum until the citizens of Victoria will not be assessed one dollar on this. If necessary, I'm prepared to fight the issue all night."

Mayor George said that he was not prepared at this stage to change his mind on the referendum, pointing out that the Gilman Report had been presented and discussed, and that there had been no change in that. Mr. Patton stoutly denied that there was any change in any part of the subject.

## Council Favors Correcting Staff Salary Inequalities

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6.30	Charles Heister—KOMO Dinner Show—KOMO Real Stories—KJR. 6.18.
6.30	Leave It to Mike—KOL McGee and Molly—CBR Best—KIRO.
7.00	News—CBR Bob Hope—KOMO. CJVI Golden Girls—CBR Music by Lopez—CJVI H E Johnson—KOL Alice Faye—KJR So the Story Goes—KJR. 7.18. News Round-up—CBR. 7.18.
7.30	County Fair—KJR Red Ryder—KOL Theater Show—KIRO Classics—CBR Green Hornet—CJVI Mister—KOMO Charles Hovey—CJVI
8.00	Lum and Abner—KJR State of Tomorrow—CJVI Theater Show—CBR Supper Club—KOMO Hillwood—KJR Kirkwood—KIRO Fleetwood Lawton—KOMO. 8.18 John Wayne—KJR. 8.18 Musical Prok—CJVI. 8.18. Pioneers—KJR. 8.18.
8.30	Tommy Dorsey—CBR. CJVI Johnny presents—KOMO Alley Yank Show—KJR The Falcon—KOMO Theatre of Romance—KIRO.
9.00	News—KOL Mysteries—KJR Parade of Songs—CJVI Dr. N. A. M. MacKenzie—CBR Big Town—KOMO.
9.30	Fulton Lewis—KOL Northwest Theatre—KOMO Waltztime—CJVI Music—KJR Roy Shields—CBR. News—KJR Ceil Solly—KJR. 9.45.

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Conviction For

Murder Reduced

VANCOUVER (CP)—A murder conviction against Daniel Harrison, former Vancouver soldier, was changed to manslaughter in the British Columbia Court of Appeal today.

Harrison, who was sentenced to be hanged Nov. 28 for the May 7, 1944, slaying of tugboat engineer Clifford Lennox, 21, had his sentence changed to life imprisonment.



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**One Woman's Day...**By NANCY HODGES  
WOMEN IN PUBLIC LIFE

THE RECENT elections in France reflected one interesting effect which the war has made upon its women.

That is a grim determination to take a more active part in public affairs than formerly.

Hitherto Frenchwomen have been content to remain the power behind the political throne, rather than active aspirants to a seat—however precarious—upon it.

But so complete has been their change of attitude that, after casting their first national vote, they emerge as holders of 31 Assembly seats.

Which represents five per cent of the total in that historic parliament.

**OLD WORLD TREND**

I DON'T KNOW how many women ran in the French elections, but the result is certainly interesting as indicating the growth of feminism in that land of chic femininity. It is the proportion of seats which intrigues me most, especially in view of trends in other places.

In the British elections, for instance, only 23 were elected, out of some 83.

This, of course, represents only a little more than three per cent—the new House having 640 members.

But even at that, women made a gain, for only nine sat in the House of Commons in the five years of Churchill's coalition government.

**NEW WORLD PICTURE**

IN STRANGE CONTRAST is the picture presented in the New World.

On this side of the Atlantic, women seem to be receding from public life, judging by comparatively recent election results.

In Canada, the Federal election saw the return of only one lone woman to the House, And the defeat of such a veteran as Agnes Macphail.

British Columbia showed the same trend. Out of the five women who sat in the last legislature, only two survived at the polls.

This despite the fact that of the thirteen who ran in various parts of the province, those rejected ones were seasoned parliamentarians.

**OUTDISTANCED U.S.**

AND IT IS SOMEWHAT illuminating to note the political position of American women.

Although they were frequently looked upon as more emancipated than either their British and Canadian sisters, they have been politically outdistanced by the women of Britain.

For after 25 years of suffrage in the U.S.A., women today hold only nine of the 435 seats in the House of Representatives.

**Montreal**More 8-Year Highs  
And 1945 Bests

MONTREAL (CP)—Papers and

industries moved up to new eight-year highs in the index in transactions up to the fifth hour today on the stock exchange and in curb market.

Key papers getting lifts were international issues, Abitibi 6 per cent preferred, Dryden, Doncaster, Maclean, and MacLaren, which touched new highs.

Dosco B found favor with traders and reached new high ground in industrials. Among others up were Marconi, Alcohot, General Steel Wires, Star, Stelco, Canadian Car, Locomotive and Paints. Fairchild Firmed and Fleet slipped in aircrafts.

Canadian Breweries and Seagrams were at new 1945 bests in liquors and Alco A moved up.

Closing Montreal averages:

20 industries 114.20, up 1.00  
10 utilities — 67.10, unchanged.

50 combined— 98.50, up 0.60

10 pulp-paper, 278.45, up 0.69  
15 golds— 105.02, up 1.35

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